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**THE SURVEYING PARTY.**—The surveying party for Tete Jaune Cache arrived in Barkerville yesterday and camped in the meadows on their way to Bear Lake. Mr. Wait, Chief Commissioner, has gone to Victoria, having purchased M O Davis' pack train which accompanies the party, loaded with provisions and utensils. There are 28 men in all in the detachment, including 7 Indians. Wilso, the fisherman of Bear Lake, commonly known as the "Swamp Angel," goes, we believe, as guide. We are only sorry that Fred Black, who has been over the whole way to Fraser, is not here, as he could render much assistance; and according to his report, we think it would be better to follow the route across Antler to Swamp river, which he describes as level and practicable and only about 22 miles, sooner than make the unnecessary detour by Bear Lake. Black's report on this subject is fully confirmed by other reliable parties who have been across that way—prospecting, and we understand there is a good trail cut for about half the distance.—*Cariboo Sentinel.*

**THE LIEUT. GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL** has appointed the following gentlemen as Returning Officers under and to carry the provisions of "The Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1871," for the respective Districts or Divisions set opposite their names:—  
Werner R Spalding, Esq.—District of Nanaimo.  
H M Bal, Esq.—District of Cariboo.  
With the exception of the Polling Division of Omineca. P O Reilly Esq.—Polling Division of Omineca. J O Haynes, Esq.—District of Kootenay.

**MOONLIGHT EXCURSION.**—To-morrow evening the members of the Mechanic's Institute with their lady friends and well-wishers, will embark on Captain Stan's boat the Hudson Bay Company's wharf and proceed to Esquimalt where dancing will be indulged in on the Company's spacious and well-kept wharf, and while the "Queen of night" asserts her silent reign "Dancing will be indulged in to the soft strains of the Zalcus Band—  
"As sweet and musical  
As bright Apollo's lute, sprung with his hair."

**THE TEACHER OF THE WILLIAM CREEK DISTRICT SCHOOL**, with some other gentlemen, went fishing a few days ago, and while endeavoring to lure the finny tribe from their native element, the gentlemen were set upon by a she-bear, which was taking an airing with her juvenile progeny. One of the party fired a load of bird-shot into the old lady's side, when she climbed a tree, where she was finally dispatched with buck-shot. The camp was regaled on bear's meat that evening.

**THE MAINTLAND GUARDIAN** mentions the mysterious disappearance of a man named George Mills, with a small canoe and \$15 belonging to another man. The description answers to that of the man who was picked up near Plummer Pass on Wednesday in a small canoe. He reported that he had just come from Peace river and told a yarn about a ship being ashore.

**DESERTER CAUGHT.**—The second mate of the bark Kenilworth was arrested on Government street yesterday by officer McCarthy for deserting his ship. He resisted, when the officer—as quickly as you could have wicked your eye—clapped the "dabbers" on and put him in a buggy. He was driven to Esquimalt and sent back to his ship.

**OMINECA.**—There is no later news from this locality by way of Quesnelmouth; nor is any gold dust reported on the way down. The arrival of the Otter in a few days will probably give the public a better idea of the extent and value of the diggings than they have yet received.

**PUBLIC SEAL.**—The Lieutenant-Governor directs it to be notified, that pending the provision of a Special Public Seal for the Province of British Columbia, the Great Seal of the former Colony of British Columbia has for the present been duly adopted by His Honor in Council as the Public Seal of this Province.

**PICNIC.**—The programme of the French Benevolent Society appears this morning. An interesting entertainment is anticipated and the names of the Committee are a guarantee that the anticipation will be realized. Tenders for the bar and refreshment privileges will be received by Mr Passerard up to Tuesday next.

**THE DINNER TO MR LANGRYN.**—Nearly one hundred names were yesterday registered of gentlemen who will join in extending the compliment of a Public Dinner to the Minister of Works.

**HARBORMASTER.**—A memorial to the Governor General humorously signed, was circulated yesterday. It asks the appointment of Captain John M Thain as Harbormaster of the ports of Victoria, Esquimalt and Nanaimo.

**WITHOUT MEDICINES.**—Dr Bourne, the famous water-cure physician of San Francisco, will shortly pay this city a visit and invite the suffering to consult him. The Doctor performs marvelous cures without the aid of medicines.

**OUR ENTERPRISING MOUNTAIN COTEMPORARY.** the *Sentinel*, receives regular telegraphic dispatches and publishes the news in extra form.

**THE STEAMER ENTERPRISE**, bringing the following passengers, arrived yesterday afternoon: Piggio and wife, Duchemie, W H Newton, H Nelson, C Lee, R Dickey, Lerson, Carden, Barnard's Cariboo Express was brought down.

**NEW WESTMINSTER.**—Geo Odlin's steamer built at New Westminster, is working successfully. Mr Newton, of Keasbey, was upset in a canoe in the Fraser, but was speedily rescued. Thomas Kenney has been sent to gaol as insane.

**THE NORTH PACIFIC** carried away the second remittance to the French Relief Fund—\$303 75. This sum, with the first, \$1357, makes the total amount remitted to France \$1660 75.

**OLD IRON.**—A large quantity of old iron is piled on the H B Co's wharf, awaiting shipment to the rolling mills at San Francisco.

**MR JOHN TROTCH'S** surveying party will start for the Mainland on Friday next. The men are being rapidly engaged and prepared for active and efficient service.

**MRS MEACHAM**, of Cariboo, who was residing at the Dalles, Oregon, lost all her household effects by the recent destructive fire at that town.

**GAZETTED.**—Notice of the appointment of John Foster McCright, Esq., to be Attorney General vice E Graham Alston, Esq., resigned, appeared in yesterday's *Gazette*.

**POST OFFICE.**—The box-system at Victoria Post Office will, we understand, be continued at a reduced rent for each box.

**REVISED STATISTICS.**—Copies of Revised Statistics of British Columbia are now ready.

**THE ISABEL** sailed for Nanaimo yesterday morning. She towed up the bark Aurelia to load coal for Honolulu.

**WOOL.**—The Enterprise brought down 5000 lbs of wool for Dalby, Wilson & Co.

**THE STEAMER LEVIATHAN** sailed for the West Coast last night at 12 o'clock.

**THE SCHOONER ANNA BECK** sailed for the West Coast yesterday afternoon.

**THE GRAPPLER** towed up the French bark Duques to Barrard Inlet yesterday.

**FLOUR** at Cariboo has risen to \$15 per bbl.

**THE LATE STORM IN LABRADOR.**

The following extract from a private letter shows that the accounts previously received of the late storm in Labrador so far from being exaggerated, did not convey to us a full idea of its terrible effects:—

SAINT JOHN, N. F.,  
July 22, 1871.

You will probably have learned by this of the terrible storm which occurred recently at Labrador and brought ruin and desolation to nearly three hundred homes. In this city and Harbor Grace, in fact everywhere throughout the island, the reception of the calamitous news consternation and excitement prevailed. There being few of us who had not some friend or relative engaged in the Labrador fisheries, either in supplying merchants, traders, or fishermen, a general and painful suspense followed the reception of the first news of the disaster on the 19th inst. This morning, however, on the arrival of the British war steamer Gularne, which was sent on by the Governor immediately upon his hearing of the disaster, we procured the full details. Besides her crew the Gularne had 322 souls on board, including men, women and children. Their aspect on arriving at the government wharf was calculated to make an indelible impression upon the memory of the most callous. The terror and famine-stricken looks of the women and children drew from every heart the profoundest sympathy, while men who left here hardly a month ago, stalwart and strong, looked emaciated and puny, with long grown beards, haggard looks, and tattered clothing. For those poor fellows there was also much feeling elicited, for not only had they been many weeks the victims of hunger, cold and every form of destitution, but they had wholly lost the fruit of their days and nights of toil, and a long, profitless and inclement winter stared them dismally in its comfortless prospect. The wharf at which the rescued settlers arrived was packed with people of every class, in fact our entire community seemed to surround the scene, for far above the wharf, in our principal street, and about the steps, platforms, and windows of the custom house, which is opposite the wharf, anxious crowds gathered and eagerly looked for the landing of the unfortunates. The Commissioner of Poor had omnibuses and carriages provided for them, which formed a long line outside the gate of the Queen's wharf. On landing the sufferers were greeted by a feeble cheer, for nobody could hardly tell whether joy at their safety, or solemn silence in respect for the dead, were more appropriate on the occasion. The rush to meet them from all sides of the crowd was intense and wild. Some had only the living to welcome and found the relations and friends they had parted with only a month before; but others glanced in vain from face to another in search of a form laid still below the howling waves and north winds of Labrador. As far as I have learned twenty-three families who had accustomed to remove to Labrador, on return of each summer season, have become literally extinct. Not a word had been heard of them since the fatal storm. Their stores and dwelling houses, and flakes were all situated quite near the strand on Indian Sickle. One woman in the prime of life is left alone in the world. Her own father, her mother and mother-in-law, her husband, three sons and three daughters were all carried off in the schooner Helen, which was driven from her moorings and never heard of afterwards. The woman who is the only one rescued, was engaged berry-picking, when the wind rose suddenly in squalls. Before she reached her husband's craft she was compelled to take shelter in a house which had not been injured, and all of whose inmates were saved. There were, as far as the crew of the Gularne could investigate, about eighteen persons killed on shore by the falling of trees, flakes or houses.

In illustrating the fruits of advertising an exchange says: "A family in Florida lost their little boy, and advertised for him in a daily paper. That very afternoon an alligator crawled up out of a swamp, and died on the front door step. In his stomach were found a handful of red hair, some bone buttons, a pair of boot heels, a glass alley, a pair of check pants and a paper collar. The advertisement did it."

**By Electric Telegraph.**  
**Exclusive to the Colonist.**

**LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.**

**Eastern States.**

SPRINGFIELD, Aug 24.—While Ben Butler was speaking last night, the following dispatch was received from General Hawley, but the Chairman refused to allow it to be read:—  
HARTFORD, Aug 25.  
"If Butler in his speech says I was dismissed, or removed from my command, or ever rebuked for my conduct as an officer, I beg that some kind friend will read this dispatch in which I say that the charge is an infamous falsehood, and the man who uttered it is a liar and a blackguard. My last written communication from Butler concerning my conduct, was a copy sent to me of his recommendation for promotion."  
NEW YORK, Aug 20.—We have City of Mexico dates to Aug 18.  
In Morla, a Catholic priest, Cuero, preached a bitter sermon against the reform in religion and succeeded in exciting the populace to such a pitch against the Protestants, that it resulted in a breach of peace by the multitude, he was taken prisoner but the people tried to release him. The troops resisted this popular attempt at the jail and the result was a riot, in which a great many were killed and wounded, the rioters were dispersed and the affair was amicably settled.

**California.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug 25.—The citizens have been greatly excited over the report that Brick Pomeroy would feature on the necessity and propriety of assassination of Abraham Lincoln. Threats have been made of lynching him. His friends deny his having any such intention.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug 12.—Sailed—Bark Caroline, Reed. Brig Perpetua, for Tacoma.

**Second Dispatch.**

**Eastern States.**

NEW YORK, Aug 25.—Intelligence has been received in this city of the loss of the steamer Ladona off the coast of Florida. Twenty lives were lost. Capt Low, the 1st and 2nd engineers, 4 passengers, the head cook and the mess boy were saved. Her cargo—assorted merchandise, valued at \$200,000—is doubtless a total loss.  
The coroner's jury in the Westfield case have found a verdict to the effect that the boiler was defective in its original construction and worn out by use; that Jacob H Vanderbill, President, John W Matthews, Inspector, and J H Braisted, Superintendent of the Staten Island R R Co, with Henry Robinson, Engineer of the Westfield, are responsible for the use of the said defective boiler and the consequences of its use and should be held accountable for the deaths caused by its explosion. Coroner Whitehill will cause the arrest of the persons held responsible by the jury.

Inspector Stratton, charged with manslaughter in the 3rd degree by the coroner's jury at Starbuck, surrendered himself and was released on \$5000 bail.

The West Indian and Panama telegraph cable has been successfully laid between the islands of St Lucia and Barbadoes.

WASHINGTON, Aug 25.—The Commissioner of Internal revenue has decided that the revenue law will not reach the case of cigar dealers who use imitation imported stamps on boxes of domestic cigars, unless the importers receive protection from the Courts. Nothing can be done without additional legislation by Congress.

ANNUR, ILL, Aug 25.—A fire occurred here at 4 o'clock this morning, destroying nearly all the business houses on Main street. There was about \$250,000, and was insured for \$75,000. John Shannon, who was in the city jail, was burned to death before he could be released.

WILMINGTON, Aug 27.—For two days past there have been reports here that the yellow fever prevailed at Charleston, but information received here to-day removes all doubt as to its existence. A letter received this morning from one of the most prominent clergymen in Charleston states that a malignant type of yellow fever is there. He had seen four cases himself. Notwithstanding the above, the Charleston papers, yesterday, said the city was never in better health than then.

**California.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug 25.—Arrived—Stmr Colorado from Panama with 106 passengers and 650 tons of freight.  
Ots—\$1 80/2.  
The bark Hongkong, 38 days from Yokohama, brings a full cargo of tea consigned to New York, which will be forwarded immediately overland on through bills of lading furnished by the R R company. This is the first shipment under this arrangement. The cargo of the steamer Alaska will follow in the same way.

SAN DIEGO, Aug 25.—The Fort Yuma stage this morning brings intelligence of a disturbance among the Indians along the southern route. A general uprising among the Indians at New River on the Fort Yuma road, 130 miles east of this place, is anticipated.

VALLJO, Aug 25.—The boat's crew of the first cutter of the U S S Saratoga has challenged any boat's crew of any U S vessel in the harbor and the challenge has been accepted by the crews of the Mohican and Cyane.

**Third Dispatch.**

**Europe.**

PARIS, Aug 25.—The Assembly to-day passed an amended bill, providing for the gradual disbandment of the national guard. The journals sorrowfully comment on the scene in the Assembly yesterday.

It is said Thiers will accept no compromise in the matter of the prolongation of his power.

Gen Faidherbe has written a letter censuring the Assembly and resigning his seat as a deputy.

The bullion in the Bank of France has increased 17,500,000 francs.

Don Carlos has arrived at Bayonne. His adherents in Spain are divided in opinion as to what course to pursue.

Rome, Aug 25.—Hartington, British Charge d'Affairs, as well as the Ministers of Austria, Belgium and the Netherlands have paid their congratulations to the Pope.

LONDON, Aug 25.—The *Independence Belge* to-day discredits the reported disappearance of cholera from Antwerp. At Kolniseberg on Wednesday there were 175 cases and 48 deaths. At Danzice on the same day there were 12 cases and 10 deaths. The epidemic is decreasing in Russia.

Thiers last night was determined to resign but did not state his determination in the

Chamber, because frequent repetitions of the threat to resign make it ridiculous. He seemed to feel he was surrounded by friends who refused to communicate his purpose to the Assembly. It is thought that a subsequent vote on the national guard measure will tide over the trouble.

LONDON, Aug 26.—About 200 German and Belgian workmen arrived at Newcastle yesterday to replace the union men on strike. The Emperor Napoleon visited Chatham yesterday. He is about to remove his residence to Crocydon.

LIRIA, Aug 26.—The Blanco rebellion in Uruguay has been crushed. The rebels have been routed and an amnesty proclaimed.

Rome, Aug 26.—Disturbances of a serious nature occurred in Rome yesterday. The conflict took place between the police and populace, during which one person was killed and two wounded.

Great Britain and the U S have chosen Solji Costa as third arbitrator to decide the questions involved in the Alabama claims. Costa is appointed Italian ambassador at Washington.

LONDON, Aug 26.—It is asserted that Francis Joseph meets the Emperor William at Solzenberg soon.

MADRID, Aug 26.—The entry of the Carlists into Spain is imminent. Five columns of troops are dispatched against them and the Civil Guard is concentrated.

**California.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug 26.—Arrived—Bark Samoset, Tacoma. Bk Onward, Uxalady. Ship Elizabeth Kimball, Pt Gamble.  
The surveying schooner Humboldt, with Alaska scientific expedition, sails to-day.  
Flour—\$5 50/25.  
Wheat—\$2 30/2; 35%; but prices are irregular. In some cases local millers have had to pay \$4 35/2 37% for mill, serviceable lots of choice, and holders are asking all the way from \$2 40/2 50.

**Eastern States.**

NEW YORK, Aug 25.—Money is plentiful and large amounts are offered at 2%.

THE GERMAN TROOPS IN FRANCE.—The *Daily News* correspondent, writing from Versailles, supplies the following:  
There has been a great row between the German troops and Frenchmen at Joinville-le-Pont. The very feeling which produces such lamentable affairs renders it highly improbable that they should be accurately reported in French papers. One version of the present story is, that a Prussian officer was rowing in a boat on the Marne with a lady, and that somebody who assumed a right to feel jealous of the lady insulted both of them. Thereupon, the officer got out and struck the Frenchman with the flat of his sword. And then when the emotion caused by this incident was subsiding, something else more serious, and as far as appears, in no way arising out of it, occurred. A train for Paris, which stopped at Joinville station at half-past nine, was about to start, when a Bavarian soldier insisted on getting into a carriage which was full. The door being shut in his face, he drew his sword and cut at the people in the carriage. Thereupon a passenger got down and snatched his sword from him, cut off his right hand with a first blow, and stretched him dead with a second. This reads to me like a Gascon tale, a utterly incredible as told, but founded probably upon some fact very unlike it. The next thing is, that the cries of the dead German soldier (uttered before he was dead, I suppose) brought to the station a number of Bavarian soldiers, who, as was natural enough under the circumstances, made the Frenchman a prisoner. Here his chronicler drops his narrative, leaving the reader to suppose that the gallant Frenchman who disarmed a soldier of the invading army and killed him with his own weapon, has been made a victim of German bloodthirstiness.

A SHAM WAR IN RUSSIA.—During the present summer a sham war on an extensive scale is to take place in Russia for the purpose of giving the staff officers of the army, who have for years been almost exclusively employed in office work, an opportunity of making themselves practically acquainted with the details of military operations. The attacking party will march toward the capital from Dunaberg in the direction of Pleska and be supported by a detachment from Riga. The defenders will operate on Ostrov and be supported from Dorpat. The latter will also take measures for retaining possession of the Baltic provinces, a day down a line of fortifications at Revel and Woenburg. Each of the armies will consist of about four divisions of infantry and eight or ten regiments of cavalry, together with supports of artillery and Cossacks. The staff of both sides are to send into the War Department detailed reports of their operations and to render a strict account of the expenditures of stores and provisions. Topographical sketches of all the ground passed over to be made with great care, and in all respects the movements of the troops and the proceedings of the officers will be a precise imitation of the miming of actual service.

**The North West Suicide.**

The particulars of the sad death, brings the particulars of the sad death, by his own hand, of Mr Hill, the private Secretary of the Lt.-Gen of Manitoba. It appears Mr Hill had frequently been heard to talk about suicide, but his listeners deemed it idle talk. Further than this, it was elicited at the inquest that in early life deceased had sustained an injury in his brain by a fall which fractured his skull; the mark of this remained. In consequence of this wound he was unable to bear excitement or continuous mental activity, and depression with severe headache, always followed and due excitement. On the 4th, he attended an excursion got up by the U S Consul, and was amongst the gayest of the gay. On reaching home he bid his servant good night, remarking that he should be asleep in two minutes. He appears to have remained in his room but a short time, made up some small packages of money addressed to persons to whom he was indebted and then left the apartment, locking the door after him. The next heard of him was that a plough-boy found his dead body at six next morning lying in a lane with two pistol shots in his head. His right hand tightly clutched a revolver, two chambers had been discharged. The verdict returned was "suicide during a fit of temporary insanity."

Though no official statements relative to the sad affair have been received at Ottawa, the *Times* says, "dispatches in Mr Hill's own handwriting have come to hand written the very day previous to his death."

**Life in London.**

**SCENE IN A POLICE COURT.**

A London paper of recent date contains the following:  
On Saturday, George Thompson, a painter, aged 62 years, was charged at the Thames Police Court with defacing a black wall in the Commercial road.

Police Constable George Page said, at an early hour he saw the prisoner defacing a wall belonging to Messrs Frost Bros, in the Commercial road, with whitewash, and stenciling the words, "No vaccination," "Mercy to the blind," and other phrases on the wall. The prisoner was drunk.

Mr Paget: How did he stencil the wall if he was in that state?  
Witness: His hands were sober, but his feet and head were drunk.

The foreman to Messrs Frost Brothers said he had repeatedly washed inscriptions off the wall and he did so as late as Monday last.

The prisoner in his defence, said he was employed by some one to advertise their sewing machines in that way.

Mr Paget: But they did not employ you to write upon the wall "No vaccination."

The Prisoner: I am opposed to vaccination, and I did that of my own thoughts, believing that it would make others of the same opinion as myself.

Mr Paget: If you can collect your thoughts at all, just tell me what made you write "Mercy to the blind."

The Prisoner: I did not finish the line. Something more was coming upon that.

A Policeman: Yes he intended to have written "Mercy to the blind drunk."

Mr Paget said, if the prisoner wanted to show mercy to the blind, he would not hinder the progress of vaccination, for small-pox often caused blindness.

The police stated that the prisoner had been twice convicted a similar offence.

Mr Paget said he should now convict the prisoner in the full penalty of 40s, and in default of payment he must have 14 days imprisonment.

**Puncheon's First Start.**

In a little isolated town in the north-western part of Cumberland, a young preacher made his debut in a small, mean looking Methodist chapel. There was not one single element favorable to Christianity in any surrounding circumstance. The town was a dependency on the Earls of Lonsdale, was intensely aristocratic, and regarded dissent, either in religion or politics as an unpardonable sin. A people narrow minded, ignorant and prejudiced; a square barlike building, with plain wooden seats, to preach in. But ere long that despised chapel "saw another sight." Men and women, who would a few weeks before have thought it almost defilement, began to be drawn there by a power superior to earthly pride; seats never filled before were now empty; now, and the young, lithe form, with its frank blue eyes and smooth, boyish face, stirred the cold, proud hearts of noble robes and pleasure seeking wordlings as they had never been stirred before. No philosopher, however profound, no teacher however wise, even had he possessed a two-fold eloquence, could have so moved that little city of the dead—only the wonderful name of Jesus. Savant and lecturer would have had few disciples there, but that bright young prophet of the cross, by the might of his inspiration humbled many a lofty head. Not least among the triumphs of William Morley Puncheon was waking up the town of Whitbarn from its sleep of centuries. His sermon broke down barriers of caste, swept away prejudices, and introduced an element of progress undoubtedly felt to-day.—*Christian Union.*

A. GILMORE, MERCHANT TAILOR, and General Outfitter, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hotel and opposite the Colonist Office, on Government street, fourth door from Yates, where he proposes to give his old friends and new customers a chance on the principle of quick sales and small profits.

MR C A NOLTEMIER has returned from San Francisco with a splendid assortment of boots and shoes of the latest styles, which he will sell at low prices. Boots made to order and warranted to fit. Repairing neatly done.—Government street, next to the St Nicholas Hotel.

FRELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Colony.

**35 YEARS OF SUCCESS?**  
Have attended the use of Bristol's Sarsaparilla and Pills, all the sterling excellence and wonderful virtues have borne down all opposition and established the fact that they are the surest and safest of all medicines for Strengthening the Stomach, Invigorating the Liver, Tonicing the Bowels, Stimulating the Kidneys, and Purifying and Cleansing the Blood and Humors.  
Let the sick and suffering try them without delay 683.

A bank account is good to have, but if it is freely drawn upon it runs out. Bodily health is the first of blessings, but because a good constitution bears abuse wonderfully, do not assume that a reckoning will come. Live sensibly and moderately; any at the first symptoms of dyspepsia, disorders of the skin, kidneys, liver, or blood use promptly Dr. WALKER'S CALIFORNIA VINOLAR BITTERS the unrivalled purifier of the blood and renovator of the system, which is a certain cure.

**THOUSANDS OF ROSY LIPS**  
Attest the many virtues of the genuine Murray and Latham's Florida Water. Matches as a perfume, it is equally matchless as a cosmetic, all the irritation of the skin, relieving headache preventing faintness, and when diluted the best of tooth washes. Truly it is the most valuable all Florida waters.

UP There are worthless counterfeits abroad. Always ask for the Florida Water prepared by the sole proprietors, Latham & Kemp, New York.

**Auction Sales.**

**PLUMMER & PAGDEN, Auctioneers.**  
APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS & COMMISSION AGENTS,  
WHARF ST, VICTORIA.  
BE TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf street, opposite the foot of Yates street. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business, and by the promptness and attention they hope to secure a share of the public support.  
Stocks, Stock in Trade, or Furniture purchased for Cash.  
Liberal advances made on Consignments.  
Books kept or audited, balance sheets made out, statements prepared and a general accountant's business conducted. All transactions confidentially transacted.  
Apt 12a.

**Lumley Franklin, AUCTIONEER, COMMISSION & REAL ESTATE AGENT.**  
BE TO ANNOUNCE THAT HE HAS taken the Fireproof Brick Building in Yates street, opposite Messrs. Wells, Fargo & Co's Express office. Having had years experience in the Auction business, he respectfully solicits a renewal of public support.  
Apt 12a.

**R. F. Pickett & Co. AUCTION & COMMISSION MERCHANTS**  
AND DEALERS IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE.  
HAVING TAKEN THE FIRE-PROOF Warehouse, No 103 Yates street, adjoining the block of British North America, would respectfully solicit consignments of Merchandise, Stock, Furniture, and Real Estate.  
Cash Advances made on Consignments.  
Reference at San Francisco—Pickett & Co, 313 Fremont street.  
Apt 27.

**For Wholesale Trade**  
MANIFEST OF  
**BARK ROBERT JONES.**  
—FOR—  
**J. H. TURNER & CO**  
Wharf and Government streets.

- 10 Cases DRESS GOODS & FLANNELS
- 8 Cases CLOTHING
- 1 Case LINENS
- 5 Cases COTTON GOODS
- 6 Cases HABERDASHERY
- 1 Case MILLINERY
- 2 Cases BAGS
- 1 Case FELT HATS
- 1 Case QUILTS
- 1 Case FANCY GOODS
- 1 Case PAINTINGS
- 1 Case PERFUMERY
- 2 Cases BISCUITS & PROVISIONS
- 2 Cases LEAD PIPE
- 1 Case SAFETY FUSE
- 1 Case BABBIT'S METAL
- 2 Cases METALLIC ANTIMONY
- 10 Slabs TIN
- 8 Slabs ZINC
- 2 Cases GALVANIZED IRON
- 4 Cases ZINC
- 18 Dozen IRON BUCKETS
- 6 Cases STEEL
- 445 Bars IRON
- 45 Bds IRON

CHINA SUGAR, No. 1,  
JAPAN TEA, Eagle Chop, in 1 lb and ½ lb packets

POUCHONG TEA, 1 lb papers  
GUNPOWDER TEA, in boxes  
BREAKFAST CONGOU, in ½ chests

For sale by  
**SPROAT & CO, Wharf street.**  
Apt 2

**Thomas Shotbolt, Chemist & Druggist,**  
JOHNSON STREET.

**Thomas Shotbolt, MANUFACTURER OF**  
Soda Water, Lemonade, Ginger Beer & Syrup,  
AERATED WATER WORKS,  
Apt 4 Cor Cook and Yates street, Victoria.

**BOOTS & SHOES.**

**GEO H MAYNARD**  
HAS REMOVED TO THE  
SOUTH SIDE OF FORT STREET.  
Four doors above Government Street.  
He will keep a full supply of  
**Boots, Shoes & Findings**  
And will furnish customers with the best description of custom made or foreign goods of the most fashionable shape.  
Apt 5m

**THE VICTORIA SKATING ASSOCIATION.**  
**ST NICHOLAS HALL**  
GOVERNMENT STREET.

**RINK OPEN**  
From 10 a.m. to 12 m; from 2:30 to 5 p.m.  
from 8 to 10 Evening  
Admission, 25cts; Use of Skates, 25cts.  
MONTHLY TICKETS:  
GENTLEMEN ..... \$6 00  
LADIES ..... 2  
GENTLEMEN AND LADY ..... 8  
August 5th, 1871.



